

RANGELAND

Regular FY 2004 EQIP Funds ONLY

Check One Only	Forage and Animal Balance with Planned Practices Applied.	
	Producer agrees to do prescribed grazing (528A) as a contracted practice for all CMUs in the contract area. (Incentive payment would be made)	40 pts
	Producer does not agree to do prescribed grazing (528A) as a contracted practice.	10 pts

Practice Application		Points for each group of practices
Check all proposed practices included in EQIP application within each practice group		
Group 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Well (Livestock) <input type="checkbox"/> Pond (Livestock) <input type="checkbox"/> Pipeline (Livestock) <input type="checkbox"/> Pumping Plant <input type="checkbox"/> Pond Sealing <input type="checkbox"/> Fence <input type="checkbox"/> Diversion <input type="checkbox"/> Windbreak/Shelterbelt Establishment Watering Facility (Livestock)	5
Group 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Brush Management <input type="checkbox"/> Animal Trails and Walkways <input type="checkbox"/> Critical Area Planting <input type="checkbox"/> Range seeding <input type="checkbox"/> Prescribed Grazing (Deferred grazing Only- see footnote in screening)	10
Group 3	<input type="checkbox"/> Streambank & Shoreline Protection <input type="checkbox"/> Riparian Forest Buffer <input type="checkbox"/> Stream Habitat Improvement & Mgmt <input type="checkbox"/> Wildlife Watering Facility <input type="checkbox"/> Constructed Wetlands <input type="checkbox"/> Wetlands Restoration <input type="checkbox"/> Wetlands Enhancement <input type="checkbox"/> Shallow Water Mgmt. for Wildlife <input type="checkbox"/> Early Successional Habitat Devl/Mgmt <input type="checkbox"/> Tree and Shrub Establishment <input type="checkbox"/> Prescribed Burning (see footnote in screening for use)	15
Group 4	<input type="checkbox"/> Pest Management (Invasive/Noxious weeds) (Points only applied when pest management is applied and required plans are developed as part of contract)	20

Wildlife Habitat Management					
(Incentive Payment available to develop and implement RMS Wildlife Habitat plan)					
Check Those that Apply	<input type="checkbox"/> Upland Wildlife Habitat Management	Species of Concern:	<input type="checkbox"/> Wetland Wildlife Habitat Mgmt.	Species of Concern:	
RMS Wildlife Habitat Plan - Sagegrouse					15 pts
RMS Wildlife Habitat Plan - Other					10 pts
Progressive Wildlife Habitat Plan					5 pts

Select One	Grazing Management with Practice Application	
	Selected planned management to be attained with EQIP practice application	
	Grazing rotation with 6 or more pastures per herd & each pasture is grazed more than one time each grazing season. Periods of grazing use coordinated with forage re-growth.	23
	Grazing rotation with 3-5 pastures per herd & each pasture is grazed more than one time each grazing season. Periods of grazing use coordinated with forage re-growth.	19
	Grazing rotation with 2-3 pastures per herd & each pasture is grazed more than one time each grazing season. Periods of grazing use coordinated with forage re-growth.	15
	Grazing rotation with more than 5 pastures per herd.	11
	Grazing rotation with 3 to 5 pastures per herd.	7
	Grazing rotation with 2 pastures per herd.	3
	No scheduled grazing rotation	0

LOCAL WORK GROUP LAND USE PRIORITY	10
(Points will only be taken for the land use associated with primary resource concerns identified by local work group. For Example – group identified problems associated with grazing land health as their major primary concerns to be addressed through EQIP, then 10 points would be taken)	

TOTAL POINTS (Rangeland)	
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